

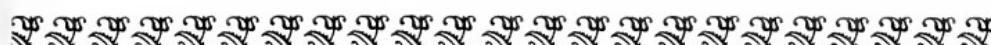
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# ORCHID L A D Y

B. HALSEY SPENCER  
97 HOPKINS PLACE  
LONGMEADOW, MASSACHUSETTS



FROM SMALL BULB

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**A** very beautiful shade of orchid lavender, slightly deeper than that of a cattleya orchid. Delicate in its tone, with a silvery sheen. There are absolutely no lines; deep in the throat a touch of cream that adds to its beauty. The flowers are very large. The spikes tall and straight. The plant strong. **EARLY.** **PROLIFIC.** Bulblets germinate exceptionally well and fast, making a fine growth first year.

This variety won the A. G. S. *Silver Medal* for *Best Seedling* at the New York Show, also for the *largest flower* in the Show.

At the Big Hartford Show it was the center of attraction of my exhibit that won the **PRESIDENT'S CUP**; also at the Connecticut Show, that won **FIRST** and **SWEEP-STAKES**. Everywhere Orchid Lady has been shown it has created a sensation, and they all want it and will have it sooner or later. All sizes and bulblets available in quantity.

|      | Bulblets |        |        |        |        |        |        |         |
|------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
|      | No. 1    | No. 2  | No. 3  | No. 4  | No. 5  | No. 6  | Doz.   | 100     |
| Each | \$8.00   | \$7.00 | \$6.00 | \$5.00 | \$4.00 | \$3.00 | \$8.00 | \$60.00 |
| Ten  | 75.00    | 65.00  | 55.00  | 45.00  | 35.00  | 25.00  |        |         |

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## WHAT A FEW WHO HAVE GROWN IT SAY

"Orchid Lady were very fine here, a rare and much sought after color, long strong stems, extra large flowers and produced very fine bulbs and quantities of bulblets. This is a variety I gladly recommend."

*F. C. Hornberger.*

"Congratulations on the splendid thing you have in Orchid Lady. It is simply glorious. Extremely early, tall, large and splendid color. The first spike had blooms seven inches across and GOOD SUBSTANCE. It surely is a great thing. Everywhere I showed it, it created a sensation."

*G. W. Thacker.*

"Orchid Lady is a dandy. I surely like her make-up in every way. Strong, showy, early, and many visitors liked it. I tried out several new things this last season; there was none better than Orchid Lady."

*M. F. Wright.*

"I did not get down to the Hartford Show, but a neighbor who did came back with Orchid Lady on his "MUST HAVE" list."

*J. W. Maynard.*

"There are many points about your Orchid Lady that impressed me greatly. It is unusual to see such a large silvery lavender so early. Two days later than Elizabeth Tabor. It is such a delicate shade that it should be cut when the first floret opens to get the full beauty. As a propagator it ranks with the best, throwing many large, thin-shelled bulblets that are sure ready to go."

*Ernest S. Clark, Jr.*

"I regard Orchid Lady as a wonderful Glad. The straight spike, tall, very large flower and color make it very attractive. I think it is here to stay. It is a wonderful Glad."

*J. H. Heberling.*

One of the leading New York Florists writes: "Orchid Lady shipped fine; in fact, better than some of the regular varieties. It is magnificent. Be sure and send it with every order."